



GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY

GOVERNMENT & MANAGEMENT STANDING COMMITTEE

Second Regular Meeting of Monday, September 22, 2025 at 9:00 A.M.

Community Council Secretary's Office, Conference Room "B&C"

Governance Center, Sacaton, Arizona

AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER:

Anthony Villareal, Sr., Chairman

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Committee

C. REPORTS:

1. Gila River Gaming Commission Department Report to the Community Council August 2025 (**Executive Session**)
M. Scott Sanderson
Gila River Gaming Commission
2. Gila River Gaming Enterprises, Inc. Monthly Report August 2025 (**Executive Session**)
Kenneth Manuel
Dominic Orozco
Blake Katsnelson
Tony DeMark
Majdi Kayyali
Interim Oversight & Planning Committee

D. RESOLUTIONS:

- ♦ 1. A Resolution Approving An Intergovernmental Agreement For Aging Services And Limited Waiver Of Sovereign Immunity For The Limited Purpose Of Arbitration And Enforcement Of Any Arbitration Award Between The State Of Arizona, Acting By And Through Its Department Of Economic Security And The Gila River Indian Community Through The Community Services Department
Laurie Thomas
Joanne Brewer
Mary Dixon
2. A Resolution Approving The Gila River Indian Community's 2025-2026 Tribal Membership And Designating Delegates In The National Congress Of American Indians
Shannon White
3. A Resolution Approving A Data Sharing Agreement Between The Arizona Department Of Education And The Gila River Indian Community
Sherilyn Analla
Lance Reyna
4. A Resolution Of Consent To Grant A Temporary Special Event Liquor License To Gates Open WA For Use At The Rawhide Western Town Event Center On October 31, 2025 Through November 2, 2025
Bartley Harris
Kaleb Lester
Duncan Wiston
5. A Resolution Of Consent To Grant A Temporary Special Event Liquor License To The Chandler Compadres, Inc. For Use At The Rawhide Western Town & Event Center On November 15, 2025
Bartley Harris
Kaleb Lester
Duncan Wiston

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| 6. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Master Transit Services Intergovernmental Agreement No. 128-75-2026-00 Between The Gila River Indian Community And The Regional Public Transportation Authority Providing For Fixed Route Transit Services | Steven Johnson |
| 7. A Resolution Approving The Gila Crossing Day School FY2025 And FY2026 105(l) Lease Renewal Between The Gila River Indian Community And The United States Department Of The Interior | Todd Araujo
Michael Carter |
| 8. A Resolution Rescinding GR-061-23 And Approving The 2025 Community Council Standing Committee Policies And Procedures | Michael Carter |
| 9. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing Amendment #1 To The October 1, 2024, Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP (C7605) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter
Governor Stephen R. Lewis
Jason Hauter |
| 10. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7808) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 11. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Yoder & Langford, P.C. For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7820) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 12. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And The Center For Applied Research, Inc. For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7819) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 13. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Rothstein Law Firm For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7818) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 14. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Dorsey & Whitney, LLP For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7809) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 15. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Rosette, LLP For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7817) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 16. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And DR Law PLLC For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7810) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |

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| 17. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Public Policy Partners For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7816) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 18. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Linus Everling For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7811) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 19. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Keller-Bliesner Engineering, LLC For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7812) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 20. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Lippes Mathias, LLP For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7813) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 21. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Osborn Maledon, P.A. For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7814) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 22. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing The Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Peter Mock Groundwater Consulting, Inc. For Fiscal Year 2026 (C7815) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 23. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For Maricopa CAASA DBA Be Awesome Inc., 347facts.Com Project | Cheryl Pablo |
| 24. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Peoria For Soldier's Best Friend, Service Dog Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 25. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For Arizona Sustainability Alliance, Sow It Forward And Food Tech For The Future Projects | Cheryl Pablo |
| 26. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For Creighton Community Foundation, Frescazona Interventional Nutrition Center And Market | Cheryl Pablo |
| 27. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For Rising Families Youth Sports Program Expansion Project | Cheryl Pablo |

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| 28. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For Rosie's House: A Music Academy For Children, Free Afterschool Music And Leadership Program For Under Resourced Youth | Cheryl Pablo |
| 29. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For Saavi Services For The Blind, Reaching Empowerment Through Achievement And Learning (R.E.A.L.) Program For Blind Children | Cheryl Pablo |
| 30. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For The Phoenix Symphony, In-School Assembly Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 31. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Arizona Friends Of Foster Children Foundation, Workforce Development For Youth Aging Out Of Arizona Foster Care | Cheryl Pablo |
| 32. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Arizona Science Center, Stem Learning Programs For Low-Income Children | Cheryl Pablo |
| 33. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Assistance League Of Phoenix, Delivering Dreams Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 34. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For The Children's Museum Of Phoenix, Free First Friday Nights And Idea Fellows Programs | Cheryl Pablo |
| 35. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Desert Foothills Library, Book Buds Intergenerational Reading Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 36. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Fresh Start Women's Foundation, Impact Program: Empowering Women To Succeed | Cheryl Pablo |

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| 37. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Girl Scouts – Arizona Cactus-Pine Council, Girl Scout Leadership Experience | Cheryl Pablo |
| 38. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For The Lost Boys Center For Leadership Development, Mentorship Education And Leadership Development For Immigrant African Youth Project | Cheryl Pablo |
| 39. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For The Mentorkids Usa, iLead My Generation Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 40. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Scottsdale For Three Precious Miracles, Keeping Culture Connected Project | Cheryl Pablo |
| 41. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Surprise For Wham Art Association, Art: A Path To Healing Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 42. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town Of Gilbert For Gilbert Park Rangers, E-Bike Request | Cheryl Pablo |
| 43. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town Of Gilbert For The Native American Management Internship Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 44. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town Of Gilbert For Women's Health Innovations Of Arizona, Expanding Access To Trauma-Informed Maternal Mental Health Care Project | Cheryl Pablo |
| 45. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To Pima County For Tucson Unified School District, Pistor Middle School, Mariachi Education Program | Cheryl Pablo |
| 46. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Coolidge For Coolidge Public Works, Liquid Waste Sewer Vacuum Truck | Cheryl Pablo |

47. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Coolidge For Imagine Coolidge, Inc. Preschool Cheryl Pablo

48. A Resolution Authorizing A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community's State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town Of Jerome For Jerome Fire Department, Command Vehicle Cheryl Pablo

E. ORDINANCES:

1. The Gila River Indian Community Council Hereby Enacts The 2025 Amendments To The 2011 Code Of Conduct For Community Officials Michael Carter

F. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. Request for Joint Work Session with GMSC, LSC, CRSC, NRSC, and HSSC Committees Lt. Governor Regina Antone

G. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Gila River Boys & Girls Clubs of the Gila River Indian Community Board of Director's Two (2) Vacancies Shannon White

2. NCAI 82nd Annual Convention & Marketplace November 16-21, 2025 – Seattle, WA Government & Management Standing Committee

H. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

1. June 23, 2025 Regular Committee

I. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

J. ADJOURNMENT:

♦ Denotes TABLED from previous meeting(s)